

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

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Corrected application filed.....

Map filed **MAY 10 1993** under 58816

The applicant **SANTA FE PACIFIC GOLD CORPORATION**

250 South Rock Blvd., Suite 100

of **Reno**

Street and No. or P.O. Box No.

City or Town

Nevada 89502

State and Zip Code No.

hereby make S application for permission to change the

Point of Diversion

Point of diversion, manner of use, and/or place of use

of water heretofore appropriated under.....

Permit # 58816

Identify existing right by Permit, Certificate, Proof or Claim Nos. If Decreed, give title of Decree and

identify right in Decree.

1. The source of water is **underground**
Name of stream, lake, underground spring or other source.

2. The amount of water to be changed **60.0 acre feet**
Second feet, acre feet. One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.

3. The water to be used for **mineral exploration**
Irrigation, power, mining, industrial, etc. If for stock state number and kind of animals.

4. The water heretofore permitted for **mineral exploration**
Irrigation, power, mining, industrial, etc. If for stock state number and kind of animals.

5. The water is to be diverted at the following point **SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, T27N, R48E**
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey and by course and

M.D.B.&M. or at a point from which the NW corner of Section 6, T27N, R48E
distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.

bears N 33° 21' 02" W a distance of 17,133 feet.

6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within **SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, T27N**
If point of diversion is not changed, do not answer.

R48N, M.D.B.&M. or at a point from which the NW corner of Section 6,

T27N, R48E, M.D.B.&M. bears N 29° 53' 37" W a distance of 17,697 feet.

7. Proposed place of use **W $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 3, Sec. 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 5, E $\frac{1}{2}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, Sec. 9, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 10, W $\frac{1}{2}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 16, Sec. 17, E $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 18, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 19, Sec. 20, Sec. 21, Sec. 28, E $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 29, E $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 32, Sec. 33, T27N, R48E, M.D.B.&M. Sec. 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, N $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 33, N $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 34, T27N, R47E, M.D.B.&M.**
Describe by legal subdivisions. If for irrigation state number of acres to be irrigated.

same as above.

8. Existing place of use.....
Describe by legal subdivisions. If permit is for irrigation, state number of acres irrigated. If changing place of use and/or

manner of use of irrigation permit, describe acreage to be removed from irrigation.

January 1

December 31

9. Use will be from.....to.....of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

10. Use was permitted from.....to.....of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

11. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) **Drill well, install casing, pump and stand**
State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure:
pipe.

ditches, pipes and flumes, or drilled well, etc.

12. Estimated cost of works **\$25,000.00**

13. Estimated time required to construct works **Well depth is 628' with 8" hole and 4" casing.**

3 years

14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use.....

15. Remarks: For use other than irrigation or stock watering, state number and type of units to be served or annual consumptive use:

This application requests water (60.0 acre feet/year) to be used for mineral exploration drilling, drill hole abandonment, and dust suppression.

By s/James A. Smithson
250 South Rock Blvd., Suite 100
Reno, Nevada 89502

Compared. jr/bk jr/bk

Protested.....

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the point of diversion of the waters of an underground source as heretofore granted under Permit 58816 is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 58816 and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. The well shall be equipped with a 2-inch opening and a totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of the water begins or before the proof of completion of work is filed. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The total combined duty of water under Permits 58816, 58817 and 60924-T shall not exceed 60.0 acre-feet annually.

This permit is issued under the preferred use provisions of NRS Chapter 534. The manner of use of water under this permit is by nature of its activity a temporary use and any application to change the manner of use granted under this permit will be subject to additional determination and evaluation with respect to the permanent effects on existing rights and the resource within the ground water basin.

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The amount of water to be changed shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed..... 0.11cubic feet per second....., but not to exceed 60.0 acre-feet annually.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before.....

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before.....

Application of water to beneficial use shall be made on or before.....

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before.....

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before.....

Completion of work filed.....

Proof of beneficial use filed.....

Cultural map filed.....

Certificate No..... Issued.....

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my

office, this 25th day of April

A.D. 19 95

[Signature]
State Engineer

EXPIRED
DATE APR 24 1996

(PERMIT TERMS CONTINUED)

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

Monthly records shall be kept of the amount of water pumped from this well and the records submitted to the State Engineer on a quarterly basis within 15 days after the end of each calendar quarter.

This temporary permit is issued pursuant to the provisions of NRS 533.345 Section 2 and will expire on April 24, 1996 at which time all rights herein granted shall revert to the right being changed by this temporary permit.

